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EX-SENATOR RIDDLEBERGER, Wouldbe Congressman Laughton and other anti-Mahone republicans may go to Washington and chin the president all they want to, but so far everything given out in Virginia has gone to a Mahone man

OKLAHOMA does not propose getting left in the great scramble for office. Cerporal Tanner has appointed a board of pension examiners for Guthrie, and the civil service commissioners have received a letter asking how soon examinations are to be held in Oklahoma.

Ex-Congressman Ochutrre who spends his time in New York, but, for political purposes, claims a residence in Texas, says that Harrison has given him Johnstown Wiped from the Face of the Earth control of all the federal patronage of Texas. It may be just as Mr. Ochiltree says, but, it may be remarked, Mr. Ochiltree is the champion romancer of the

CHICAGO Times: Human nature crowded with inconsistencies. Two year ago Cleveland was bitterly criticised because he was absent on a fishing excursion on Decoration day. General Harrison no doubt shared the same feeling of out by a deluge and an estimate from Blairsindignation. Yet President Harrison ab- ville Intersection, puts the number or lost at sents himself from special service in mem- 1,500. A man rescued from the river at Bolory of fallen soldiers, and at a time when livar, who was swept away from Johnstown, he is considering the desirability of abolishing Sunday drills at the posts of the are probably lost in the valley of the Conearmy, he is sailing of a Sunday on the maugh. Potomac in the private yacht of a stern Sabbatarian, John Wanamaker, who will not permit postal clerks in the departs ment at Washington to come to their desks Sundays. If the world would but square its conduct with its professions, what a comfortable existence mankind might enjoy.

the habit of complaining how they are besieged and bored by applicants and supplicants for official position, place or promotion, and express more or less inbe so taken up and they burdened by and executive offices for official crumbs. But arguments vindicating their own from the other side. "No doubt," said an intelligent person of the latter class recently, "personal and letter petitions to members of congress are very unmerous, but these gentlemen should remember how they wanted, worried for and received help to elect them to their offices in the congressional and senatorial campaigns. Members of congress and senators surely cannot expect to escape importunities any more than do constituents in a canvass, on the hustings, or at the polls. Votes are sought for, importuned for, worked for by every means, and it cannot be that successful candidates-legislators, state and national, road officials, newspaper men and telegraph congressmen and senators can forget operators on board. A telegraph office will their obligations, and not be as ready to be opened at the nearest available point to give favors as to receive them.'

Sunday Services.

At Trinity church, Rev R F Sweet, Ascension-at 10:45 a m 12 m and 7:30 pm. At the chapel at 2:30 pm. At the Y M C A meeting for young men at the rooms Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p m, led by Will Philleo. Subon the late national convention by the delegates, Messrs. Lang and Nadler. At the First M. E. church, preaching

at 10:45 a m, by presiding elder, Rev Mr Head, followed by the administering of the Lord's supper. The evening service will be conducted by the Young Ladies' Home Mission circle. The programme will consist of short papers interspersed with music. Sunday school at 9:15 a m, J F Robinson, superintendent. Young people's meeting at 7 p m.

At the Twentieth street Evangelical Lutheran church, the Rev C A Mennicke pastor. Service at 10 a m. Text: Joh 26:15-16:4. Thema: "Vondem Hasse und den Verfolgungen, welche alle wahren Christen von den Kindern dieser Welt erfahren muessen." At 7:30 p m, Gemeindeversammlung. Service at 10 a. m. at Buffalo Prairie, conducted by the Rev C A Mennicke.

At the First Baptist church, Rev. H. C. Leland, pastor. Morning service at 10:45. Subject, "Ideal Christianity." Evening subject, "The Resurrection of the Body. Sunday school at 9:30 a m, J W Welch, Forty-fourth street chapel, Sunday school at 2:30 p m. Services at 3:30 p

At the Broadway Presbyterian church, the Rev R F Weidner, D. D., will preach at 10:45 a m. At 7:30 p m, Mr. Lang and down. Mr. Frank Nadler, delegates to the International Y. M. C. A. convention, held important and interesting features of that convention. All Y. M. C. A. workers and friends are cordially invited. Sunday school at 9:10 a m, Dr. J. W. Stewart, superintendent. South Park Mission Sunday school at 2:30 p m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p m.

"A Bunch of Keys."

The next star attraction at Harper's theatre will be the presentation on next Thursday night by a superior company of Hoyt's famous comedy, "A Bunch of

San Francisco Report of April 16, says: Hoyt's "Bunch of Keys" was produced last evening at the Bush street theatre for the first time, and the auditorium was filled to overflow with the admirers of the comedy playwright. The play this year is produced by the Sparks company, Although it is the same old bunch of keys they have grown more polished with thronged with victims of the flood, but they were rescued in skiffs, piano boxes and under the management of Gus Bothner.

the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's ALONG THE KISKIMINETAS. Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J.

Frightful Havoc Wrought by the Loosened Waters.

ENORMOUS LOSS OF HUMAN LIFE.

Fifteen Hundred Souls Go Down to Death in the Rushing and Raging Torrent.

Pennsylvania Valley Swept Clean o Houses and the Inhabitants Whirled Away in the Scething and Boiling Cataclysm.

and Cambria Suffers a Like Fate - Most Fearful Catastrophe on Record in the Country-Floods of Rain Cause the Bursting of a Dam in the Mountains and Let Loose Destruction in Most Appalling Form-Heart-Breaking Scenes Witnessed by Those Who Were Powerless to Help the Drowning-A Property Loss of \$15,000,000 Estimated-Stories of Survivors-Details of the Horror.

PITTSBURG, June 1.-A frightful calamity has swept over a portion of this state. The town of Johnstown has been wholly wiped says positively that not less than 1,500 lives

THE FIRST DISPATCHES.

Ghastly Freight in the River Borne by Sang Hollow.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 1.-A telegraph operator in the Pennsylvania railroad signal tower at Sang Hollow, twelve miles below Johnstown, says that about eighty-sever dead bedies have floated past him down the river from Johnstown. It is stated that the reservoir above Johnstown broke about 5 p. m. yesterday, and the water flooded the town. carrying away bouses by scores, and drowning probably hundreds of people. Wires are dignation that their precious time should down, and no communication could be had with Johnstown last night. No trains are continuous pleading at the departments running east of Blairsville, twenty-five miles

LATER -The latest report is that Johnstown is nearly submerged, and the roofs of but two houses are visible, while it is still raining, and the river rising at a very rapid rate. The cause of the flood is attributed to the bursting of a water-spout and the breaking of the South Fork reservoir, which covers an area of one square mile, and has had twenty feet of water in it. The latest is that Johnstown is now gone.

Over Two Hundred Dead Bodies. STILL LATER. - Pennsylvania railroad offialone, while all along the line many additional lives have been lost. A special train bas left Pittsburg with Pennsylvania rail-

W. N. Hays, supervisor of the station of the Pennsylvania railroad covered by the flood, telegraphed at 10 o'clock last night to Superintendent Pitcairn as follows: "The destruction is terrible. The river for threewith buildings and driftwood, forty feet high "Prayer." Also interesting talks and on fire, burning furiously, and entirely beyond our control, I cannot estimate the amount oi damage. I walked over to-night from Johnstown to Sang Hollow—four miles. Johnstown is literally wiped out."

Clinging to the Driftwood. Superintendent Pitcairn, who is at New Florence, sixty-five miles east of Pittsburg telegraphs that over 100 men, and children passed Sang Hollow clinging to debris. Seven were rescued at Sang Hollow, two at Cone-Only forty-seven of the 100 and over passed, New Florence.

JUST BEFORE THE DISASTER.

Description of the Situation in Joh

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 1.-S. J. Herron o'clock yesterday afternoon and has just arrived in this city. Mr. Herron tells a graphic story of the disaster that fell on the mountain said be, "rain poured down in a deluge. The pouring their waters into the Conemaugh superintendent. Young people's and river, which passes directly through the cenconverts' meeting at 6:30 p m. At the ter of the city. Soon the banks of the river

ing current. House and bridges from above the city were swept away by the flood, and added largely to the damage further

"The water rose so rapidly that many peoin Philadelphia, will review the more important and interesting features of that were rescued by men riding horses and mules. The scenes of rescue were most charge a pair of mules. He mounted one of them to aid some people. The mule fell into nn exeavation, carrying Ross with it and he was drowned. When I left it looked as if 1,000 people were homeless. They were gathered on the mountain sides looking sadly at

throwing 2,000 men out of employment, be-sides entailing a vast amount of damage to Keys." Of this superior attraction the San Francisco Report of April 16, says: the scene. Twelve car-loads of iron were run out on the Cambria bridge in an attempt to save that structure. The waters gathered strength and sweept bridge, cars and iron away as if they were straws. But one bridge remains, and it is badly damaged. Lumber was swept down with the flood in vast quan-tities. It is estimated that 1,000,000 or more feet passed through the town yesterday

rafts were used for this purpose, Three of the Victims as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through

ALONG THE KISKIMINETAS.

Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no The River Full of Wreckage and Drownmercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure, be sure you get the genuine; it is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co.

Deal by the Thousand caing some of those who were being carried cown the stream. The volume of water is unrecting Blairsville with Blairsville in the bring carried away and with on the bridges and banks in the hope of resto a train of heavily loaded cars standing upon the bridge to hold it in place. This was the lurgest and strongest bridge on the West Pennsylvania railroad. It is thought that all of the West Pennsylvania railroad bridges

> The Inhabitants Panic-Stricken. All of the towns in the Kiskiminetas vally are expected to be submerged. Among them are Livermore, Saltsburg, Apollo, leachburg, and Avenmore, having popula-tions of from 8,000 to 10,000 each. The intabitants along the river have been warned, but are almost panic-stricken at the idea of their great loss of property which is inevita-

Later reports from Coketown are to the effect that the entire town is submerged, and a number of lives have been lost at that

THE WHOLE COUNTRY FLOODED. ennsylvania Railway Washed Away-

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 1.-A Greensburg a., special to The Times says: The banks of the Conemaugh river are overflowed for miles, and the whole country is deluged with rater. The Pennsylvania railway all along he river from Johnstown to New Florence ed away and travel is entirely sus ended. The river rose so rapidly that all operators in the towers between Sang Holves. The bridges at New Florence, on the Fennsylvania railway, and Coketown on the West Pennsylvania were carried away. flouses, furniture, etc., are being carried down the river.

Streets Under Water. BRADFORD, Pa., June 1 .- The heavy rains Thursday night and yesterday morning have swollen Lime creek's east and west ranches into rivers. Several streets are under water. People living on Hilton street were compelled to move their effects to the upper streets. The tracks of the Buffalo, Fochester and Pittsburg railway are a foot have been abandoned.

IMPLORING HANDS IN THE FLOOD. Terrible Evidences of the Catastr

BOLIVAR, Pa., June 1.-The water is highbere than was ever known, and two-story bouses, barns, stables, whole forests of trees, outhouses, smokehouses, railroad bridges, rafts, inverted skiffs and driftwood by the ere, from all of which imploring hands were hold out to those on the banks, willing but impotent to help, have floated down the swollen torrent of the Conemaugh. Inform ation received is meager, but for the most part accurate. At Lockport, two miles east more than twenty people have been taken from the flood.

"Hely, Help, for God's Sake?" The first great rush of water reached here at 7 o'clock last evening. This came from the bursted dam above Johnstown. It came like a frenzied whirlpool, and before the people could realize it they were in its grasp. Fortunately the people living on the low lying ground escaped. At 7:30 o'clock a great pile of driftwood was swept along and from it shriek upon shriek for "Help, help, for God's sake!" came.

Passed on to Their Doom. The horrified spectators on the shore saw three women, to one of whom were cling ing two children, neither of whom was ap perently more than an infant. The rapidity of the current and the position of the raft on the stream, together with the lack of facilities for rescuing, precluded the possibility of passed-out of sight, the screams of the women and children blending in their pleadings for aid long after the raft was around

Heart-Sickening Sights in the Stream The stream then became thickly strewn with men, women, and children, clinging to all sorts of temperary means of salvation and two men and a woman clung madly to the tops of huge trees, the men emulating the females in their shrieks for help that it was not possible to give. Just at dark a lad was noticed clinging to a log. James Curry secured a long line and ran to the river bank The noose of the lasso fell over the boy's neck and shoulders, and a moment later the

All That Was Left of the Family. He was soon restored, and stated that his name was Edward Harsten, 13 years of age. He had lived with his father and grandfather and mother in Cambria City, a part of Johnstown. At 4 o'clock their home had been caught in the volume of water let loose climbed upon a mass of driftwood and were carried along. Their raft went to pieces against a bridge pier, and he had not seen his relatives since, but thought that they were all drowned

A Little Babe in the Torrent. Mr. Rhondes, at Blairsville Intersection agent, saw a woman floating by on the roof of a house. With arms outstretched she called in the most piteous tones to save her. "Ch, my God," she cried, "save, save me." "I caught the name of Lucy," said Mr. Rhoades, "above the roar of the flood. Just ahead of the house we could plainly see a cradle floatto be sleeping, but more than likely was dead. A little after 2 o'clock an engineer of th Pennsylvania railroad saw three men drown at the railroad bridge in Johnstown. At that time the water was fully fifty feet deep.

Agrees That 1,500 Were Drowned. A wrecking train left here this morning to tions. The people along the route between this place and Johnstown are well nigh paralyzed by fear. At Bolivar the water is the highest in history. It is now over the bed of the old Pennsylvania canal, which has never

Joe Duffy was saved from the river. He estimates that fully 1,500 people were drowned. He saw a number of persons about him sucked under the turbulent water. and they never appeared again. . . Three-quarters of the city of Johnstow was submerged. The water rese up to the third stories of the houses in five minutes.

Whole Streets Washed Away. washed away in a short time. He floated on the driftwood to Lockport, and then jumped into the flood and swam about twenty-fiv yards to the shore. The family of John Thomas, including his wife and five children were lost. The hired girl and another man na ned Harvey, were also drowned. Duffy says he saw people carried off by the flood in

A Hero's Noble Work. At Lockport sixty-five families are home est, having lost everything but their lives Edward Dick, a young railroader, rescued an old gentleman, a lady named Adams, of Columbia, and her two children by swimming out to the house in which they were pulling them through, he then swam ashore with them, one at a time until all were saved. Dick then fell exhausted.

Says 3,000 Are Drowned. pulled from the river. He was in the house of Edward Garvey. All were caught. Ten min-utes later the house was wrecked, Garvey and his son-in-law were downed, and Madden was surface I saw my wife hanging to a piece of scautling. She let it go, and was drowned almost within reach of my arm. My wife and six children are all missing, and I fear are drowned. There are without doubt fully 3,000 people lost between Conemaugh and Cambria City."

A SURVIVOR'S TERRIBLE STORY.

sons beside myself, and I feel sure they were all lost. Up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon the water, which was seven feet deep in the

rose fully ten feet, and in five minutes more I am sure fifty houses came floating down the streets. There were people in every one of them, and God only knows how many

"As they were carried off the houses were mmed together and against the houses still standing, and in a very few minutes they were all battered to pieces before they had been carried very far. The house I was in was soon smashed to pieces, and I managed to jump on the celiar door. In a few minutes I was rushed off into the flood, and when I looked back where Cambria City stood, there looks to me as if every house had been raised

The Cries of the Drowni "The vast sheet of water was full of float-ing timbers, roofs of houses, rafts, boards and other articles. The scene was indescribable The cries of men, women and children were fearful. I passed Paddy Madden's wife, my son's wife and a man clinging to the roof of a house. I called to them and bade them

Saved by the Cellar Door. "In a short time I was caught by the water and turned under. Every once in a while I got into a whirlpool and more than once almost lost my grip on the cellar door. I saw people in the water ahead of me and all around me. Many of them were struc by the crashing timbers and killed outright, They were so badly hurt that they fell into the water and drowned at once."

Lost Husband and Nine Children. Mrs. Boyle was also rescued at Lockport The poor woman was moaning and crying and would not be comforted. Her husband and nine children are supposed to be

CAUSE OF THE CATACLYSM. escription of the Reservoir That Wrought

the Fearful Havoc. GREENSBURG, Pa., June 1.-The reservoir was situated about eighteen miles northeast of Johnstown, on the site of the old reservoir that was one of the feeders of the Pennsylvania canal. It is the property of a number of wealthy Pittsburg men, who constitute the South Fork Fishing and Hunting club. The sheet of water was formerly known as Conemaugh lake. It is from 200 to 300 feet above the level of Johnstown, and is three and a half miles long by from one to one and a quarter miles wide and in some places is 100 feet deep. It is the largest reservoir in the United States.

Construction of the Dam.

The dam holding the water in check we from 700 to 1,000 feet long, ninety feet thick at the base, 110 feet high, and twenty feet thick at the top. It was inspected monthly by a Pennsylvania railroad engineer. It is supposed that a cloud burst suddenly, adding such volume of water to the immense amount already accumulated by swolle streams that the dam could not support the strain. Several members of the South Fork club were on the spot with their families, among them some prominent merchants and

COMING LIKE A TIDAL WAVE. The First of the Flood Reaches Pittsbu

Preparing for Rescues. PITTSBURG, June 1, 3 a. m.-The head water of the flood from the Conemaugh and Kiskiminetas rivers has just reached this city. It is coming down the Allegheny river very much as a tidal wave. Debris of all kinds is tumbling about, and the river is gbeny river are thronged with anxious watchers. Details of police and firemen from Pittsburg and Allegheny have secured all the available boats, and are closely watching the fast increasing flood with its cargo of dead. Signal fires are kept burning along the shores almost the entire distance from this city to Freeport, six v miles above, where the Kis-

Cambria Completely Devastated. CAMBRIA CITY, Pa., June 1.-There are robably a dozen houses in what was a thrivng manufacturing town forty-eight hours ago. No estimate can be formed of the amount of damage, but the probable loss of life is terrible. There are at present fifty lives known to have been sacrificed, and hundreds of people are homeless. The cold, raw eather of this morning is particularly serere on those who are without shelter and no means of relief at hand, as the trains can not reach here from west or east. Everything possible is being done for the suffer

Communication with the outer world has been cut off and only temporary accommo dation can be had. Some place the damage to property at from \$12,000,000 to \$15,000,-000, but until the excitement calms it is im-

Johnstown, via Blairsville, Pa., June 1 .-It is impossible at this time to estimate what the loss to life and property has been, so are scattered from Conemaugh to Sheridan station, and hundreds are safe when it was thought they had perished. On the other hand scores have been drowned when it was thought they were safe. It will take the light of day and a return to comparative cool-headedness to estimate, even approximately, who have perished and who have een rescued. Some of the level-headed citzens are disposed to think that many hose who were caught in the rush of waters were able, through the medium of kind hands at points below took them off. At midnight not a few of those given up as

In the Track of the Destroyer. DERRY, Pa., June 1.-The town of South Fork, which contained about 2,000 inhabitints, lay in the course of the flood which wept down from the broken dam to Johnsown, and it is believed that four-fifths of the town was carried away. Four miles with 800 inhabitants. It seems difficult to hope that any of them escaped. Six miles further down was Conemaugh, with 2,500 people, but in this case the formation of the untry afforded some chance for escape. The town itself was devastated. Woodvale with 2,000 people, lay still further down. It suffered greatly.

Death on the "Blue Juniata." PITTSBURG, Pa., June 1.-A special from Tyrone, Pa., says the Juniata river has overowed its banks at that place and flooded the outhern portion of the city, causing great mage. All of the railroads centering at Tyrone are greatly damaged. One man is reported drowned at Curminsville. A dissatch from Clearfield says two young ladies were drowned while endeavoring to escape from the flooded district.

(Pa.) special says: The heavy rains of the past forty hours have caused great damage. All collieries in this vicinity have been forced to suspend, and many are washed out.
The bridge west of here has been swept
away. Advices from points on the Reading
road and its branches show great damage.

Dead and Alive Floating Past. NEW FLORENCE, Pa., June 1 .- The water s higher here than it was ever known before, She Is Sure 1,500 People Are Lost—The Rush of Water.

Rush of Water.

LAIRSVILLE, Pa., June 1.—At Lockport, pieces of wreck, and forty-five others were lost bere. Two persons were rescued from floating proved fatal so quickly. Coroner Hanley, pieces of wreck, and forty-five others were

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., INUNDATED. Storm Rages with Unabated Fury-

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., June L-One of the most disastrous storms that has visited this section for fifty years commenced here about 10 o'clock Thursday night and has continued with unabated fury. Bridges were washed out on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railway between Quantico and Richmond, All trains north part of the city bordering the river front is entirely submerged. The water is rising at the rate of twenty-two inches per hour.

No Light for the City. The electric light works in the city are un der water. Water is now rushing into the gas-house and the supply of gas is shut off. The town is in total darkness. The streets are completely flooded with water, and communication by wire is paralyzed. The Philwas nothing but a great lake of water. It adelphia and Baltimore steamers bound for Fredericksburg had to make harbor at Blackwell's on account of the fury of the

> ered Maryland and done great damage, but The Big Kanawha Booming. CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 1.-The Big Kanawha river is on a rampage, and this place is in danger of being submerged. The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad bridge has

been swept away. A Bad Day for Base Ball. CHICAGO, June 1. - But two of the League base ball clubs did any playing yesterdaythe Philadelphia and Indianapolis. The scores were; At Philadelphia-(first game) Indianapolis 8, Philadelphia 11; (second game) Indianapolis 4, Philadelphia 11-six innings,

American association: At Columbus-Louisville 2, Columbus 7. Other games post-Western league: At St. Paul-Sioux City Some Self-Appointed Regula-3, St. Paul 9; at Des Moines-Denver 7, Des

A Mighty Inconvenient Fire. OWENSBORO, Ky., June 1.-The residence A John Jamison, a prominent farmer, burned Thursday. When the fire was discovered Mrs. Jamison was in the throes of childbirth and had to be carried into a field to be out of danger Twenty minutes after she was taken from the house Mrs. Jamison gave birth to a fine boy, and as quickly as the house of a neighbor where both are doing well. William Boyd was terribly burned while the fire was in progress.

Prominent Ex-Confederate Dead. RICHMOND, Va., June 1.-Dr. S. P. Moore, ate surgeon general Confederate States army, died suddenly in this city yesterday morning. He was in better health and spirits than usual when he retired at 11 o'clock Thursday night, but shortly afterwards he had a spell of coughing and a slight hemorrhage, and at 1:30 o'clock in the morning he

Fifty Thousand Masons in Line. Washington City, June 1.—Preparations or the triennial conclave of Knights Templar next fall are going forward with some rap idity. Advices received from the various communications throughout the country indicate that fully 50,000 Masons will be in line the day of the parade

THE HUNT IS BAFFLED. Facts and Opinions Relating to the Search

CHICAGO, June 1 .- Yesterday passed without any further developments in the Cronin Woodruff were brought into court and charged with the murder, to which they Hussey, Bill Carter, Harry Nicholds, Frank pleaded not guilty, and were taken back to jail. A motion to quash the indictment was made, but no time set for the argument. Made the Most of it. The arrest of a man named "Mack" Will-

iams provided the evening papers with material for long articles and big headlines. He was alleged to know all about the crime. It turned out that he was a man who had es caped some time since from the Bridewell and he was taken back there. He had noth-Lawyer Hynes, who is very active in the

search for the murderers, declares his belief

that the Clan-na-Gael had nothing to do with the murder as a body, and that the crime was the work of individuals acting for them-No Further Arrests Warranted. Chief Hubbard is credited with the state-ment that there is no evidence warranting my additional arrests of "suspects" who are esting under the suspicion of Cronin's friends, while Lawyer Alexander Sullivan gave a reporter who wanted him to talk the

shake" in a very vigorous style, threatening to pitch him out of his office if he didn't take less emphatic hint. The reporter went. Patrick Egan's Comments. Patrick Egan has been interviewed in New York, and declares the story false that Sulivan got money from Lim in Paris to assist the physical force party. He says every dollar of the fund has been accounted for. He expressed the opinion that the methods of hose who are trying to fasten guilt upon

Alexander Sullivan are despicable. On Muddy Race Courses. LATONIA, Ky., June 1.-At the races her resterday the winners were: Jakie Toms, ¾ mile, 1:221/2; Kedar Khan, 1 mile, 1:531/4; Adele M., 434 furlongs, 1:1134; Ben Hazen, mile 70 yards, 1:56%; Avondale, ¾ mile, :22%. Track muddy and heavy. CHICAGO, June 1. - The racers at the Wes Side track yesterday ploughed through a quagmire. The winners were: Schoolmaster, mile, 1:27; J. B. Clay, ¾ mile heats, bes ime 1:25; Unite, 1 mile, 1:58; 3/Big Three 11/2 miles, 2:323/4; Lord Grosvenor, 3/2 mile

New York, June 1 .- The track at Jerom park yesterday was only fair, and the races were won as follows: Iago, 7½ furlongs, 1:13½; Fides, 1½ miles, 2:00¾; Lonely, ¾ mile, 1:19; Eolian, 1,400 yards, 2:3134; Mirade, 1,400 yards, 2:25; Ernest, 1/2 mile, 1:1854

morial services Thursday several houses were entered by sneak-thieves and jewelry and small amounts of money stolen. Three mer were arrested at Milton Junction on tele ison, their names being John Thomas, Sam-uel Ragland and James Taylor. On the person of the latter nearly all of the stolen prop-

Harriet Hubbard-Ayer's Case. NEW YORK, June 1.-In the suit of Har riet Hubbard-Ayer against James M. Seymour, his son, Allen Louis Seymour, an he latter's wife, Judge Daly, of the court of common pleas, yesterday appointed Mr. Richard M. Henry receiver of the 498 shares of the Recamier Manufacturing company standing in the name of Harriet A. Sey-mour, and which are in dispute.

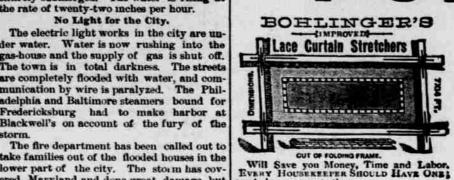
WATERTOWN, N. Y., June 1.-When the barge Bayaria, which was stranded upon Gallup island, was reached by a wrecking party she was discovered to be in very good condition. Had the members of her condition. Had the members of her crew re named on board no accident would have be fallen them. The reported loss of two women and nine children was an error. They are left widows and orphans.

New York, June 1.—Francis Rafferty, laborer, who was killed Wednesday i Charles R. Partridge, lumber merchant,

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VINTON, Ia., June 1. - The vicinity of Van Horn is in a state of unwonted excitement over the work of an organized mob. Some days ago Frank Bean and Mrs. J. W. Hughey had a quarrel about the possession and use of the stalls in a stable on a farm. Mrs. Hughey, it is said, used a pitchfork in a struggle with Bean, and he in turn burt her pretty badly. A night or two after the house of J. I. Bean, father of Frank Bean was entered by fifteen or twenty masked and armed men and the family fiercely as

Went for Wool and Got Shorn. They proceeded to Frank's room, but the latter met them at the door armed with a piece of iron two feet long and beat them back. He laid out six of them as fast as they advanced. No less than five shots were fired by the mob, and the house was spattered with blood. Frank, who did most of the fighting for the family, received a flesh wound on the leg. Mrs. Bean was sick in

He Gave Himself Away. The next morning F. E. Taber, of Big Grove township, came to Vinton with a bad pistol-shot wound in the left elbow. He was Leonard, J. O. Carter, Owen Tyler, Deacon H. M. Shutts, George Hughey, James E. Catlin, John C. Shaw, L. E. Shutts, and O.

The Mob Got into Jail. It is alleged that O. Davis bought the masks and distributed them to the rest. It is also alleged that Davis, Catlin, H. M. Shutts, and J. O. Carter were the ones who aroused the people to do the deed. They were all taken to Vinton by Sheriff Barr and placed in jail. More arrests are looked for

RETURN OF AN EX-BOODLER. McGarigle, of Chicago, Gets Back from Canada and Is a Free Man.

CHICAGO, June 1.-Ex-Warden McGarigle, against whom a sentence of two years in the state's prison for boodlerism was pending appeared voluntarily in Judge Shepard court yesterday, pleaded guffty to a charge of conspiracy, and accepted a fine of \$1,000. This disposes of the case, and the money being paid McGarigle was released.

Why the Action Was Taken. The state's attorney made an explanation of his course in the case to the judge. He said that the decision of the supreme court the state having reversed th judgment of the lower court refusing McDonald, another of boodlers, a new trial, it would be impossible to secure McGarigle's conviction. Also Mc-Garigle being in Canada there was no way to get him back in Chicago except to compromise with him. Therefore he thought it best to get a plea of guilty together with the fine and costs than to get nothing. This re-leases McGarigle's bondsmen. It will be remembered that McGarigle gave the sheriff the slip when that officer took him out to his home to see his wife preliminary to leaving for Joliet, by asking permission to take a bath. The plan was well laid, and McGarigle stepped out of the bath-room and disappeared, being next heard from in Canada,

No Place Like Chicago. McGarigle's appearance indicated the most perfect health. His face was fuller and rounder than when he gave Sheriff Matson the slip, and there was a ruddy glow on it. The climate of Canada evidently agreed with nim. His bead was a little more bald and the gray hairs a little more plentiful, but he looked well, and everybody congratulated him on his appearance. He wouldn't talk, except to say that he proposed to stay here; that there was no place in the world like the Windy City for him. As soon as he could get away from his friends and the reporters he took a cab and hastened off to Lake View

The Other Cases Nollied. The states attorney also entered a neile prosequi in the case of McDonald and all the other boodler cases, and this ends the great Cook county conspiracy trials. LEGITIME IS KNOCKED OUT.

Hippolyte Captures Port-au-Prince and Paris, June 1.—Hippolyte telegraphs from Hayti that he has defeated Legitime and

captured Port-au-Prince, and that he has proclaimed himself provisional president. ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS. It is estimated at the treasury department that the public debt reduction during the month of May was \$7,500,000.

The comptroller of the currency has au-thorized the Continental National bank of St. Louis, Mo., to begin business with a capital of \$2,000,000. The manager and assistant manager of the Ballymena (Ireland) branch of the Provin-cial Bank of Ireland, have been found on a

Severe storms in Maryland have resulted in the destruction of much valuable property In West Virginia the heavy rains caused have been swept away.

Sept. 6, 1888, H. A. Coleman, colored, stepped up behind James Grant, a Norfolk county, Virginia, dairyman as he was milking a cow, and nearly beheaded him with an ax. Friday Coleman's neck was broken by the shariff of the county at Postmouth Ve

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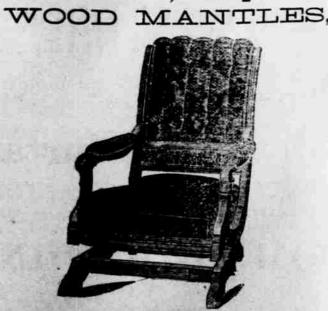
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